

OPINION 1087

PAMPHILIUS VIRIDITIBIALIS TAKEUCHI, 1930,
DESIGNATED UNDER THE PLENARY POWERS AS
TYPE-SPECIES OF *ONYCHOLYDA* TAKEUCHI, 1938
(INSECTA, HYMENOPTERA)

RULING.- (1) Under the plenary powers, all designations of type-species for the nominal genus *Onycholyda* Takeuchi, 1938, hitherto made are hereby set aside and the nominal species *Pamphilius viriditibialis* Takeuchi, 1930 is hereby designated as the type-species of that genus.

(2) The generic name *Onycholyda* Takeuchi, 1938 (gender feminine), type-species, by designation under the plenary powers in (1) above, *Pamphilius viriditibialis* Takeuchi, 1930, is hereby placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology with the Name Number 2048.

(3) The specific name *viriditibialis* Takeuchi, 1930, as published in the binomen *Pamphilius viriditibialis* (specific name of type-species of *Onycholyda* Takeuchi, 1938) is hereby placed on the Official List of Specific Names in Zoology with the Name Number 2611.

HISTORY OF THE CASE Z.N.(S.) 2028

A request for the designation under the plenary powers of a type-species for *Onycholyda* Takeuchi, 1938 (a genus based on a misidentified type-species) was first received from Dr Karel Benes (Prague), Dr T. Naito (Entomological Laboratory, University of Osaka, Japan) and Dr T. Okutani (Entomological Laboratory, Kobe University, Japan) on 11 December 1972. It was sent to the printer on 29 January 1973 and published on 10 October 1973 on pp. 95-96 of vol. 30 of *Bulletin of Zoological Nomenclature*. Public notice of the possible use of the plenary powers was given in the same part of the *Bulletin* as well as to the prescribed serials (Constitution Art. 12b) and to nine entomological serials. Support was expressed by Dr H.R. Wong (Canadian Forestry Service, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada). No adverse comment was received.

DECISION OF THE COMMISSION

On 22 September 1976 the members of the Commission were invited to vote under the Three-Month Rule on Voting Paper (1976) 22 for or against the proposals set out in *Bull. Zool. Nomencl.* vol. 30: 96. At the close of the voting period on 22 December 1976, the state of the voting was as follows:

Affirmative Votes - twenty-one (21) received in the following order: Melville, Eisenmann, Holthuis, Vokes, Willink, Lemche, Brinck, Rohdendorf, Tortonese, Habe, Ride, Mroczkowski, Bayer, Binder, Corliss, Sabrosky, Starobogatov, Welch, Dupuis, Nye, Kraus

Negative Vote - one (1): Bernardi.

No Voting Paper was returned by Mr. Heppell. A late affirmative vote was received from Dr Alvarado.

Dr Bernardi commented on his voting paper: Les auteurs nous disent que "the specimen on which *Onycholyda* is based belongs to an undescribed species", l'exemplaire de l'île de Sado. Il est préférable de décrire cette espèce et de la considérer comme le type du genre *Onycholyda*, en suivant ainsi Takeuchi."

ORIGINAL REFERENCES

The following are the original references for the names placed on Official Lists by the ruling given in the present Opinion:

Onycholyda Takeuchi, 1938, *Tenthredo* vol. 2: 218

viriditibialis, *Pamphilius*, Takeuchi, 1930, *Trans. Kansai ent. Soc.*, vol. 1: 13.

CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the votes cast on Voting Paper (76) 22 were cast as set out above, that the proposal contained in that voting paper has been duly adopted under the plenary powers, and that the decision so taken, being the decision of the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature, is truly recorded in the present Opinion No. 1087.

R.V. MELVILLE

Secretary

International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature

London

8 March 1977